

Science has developed something infinitely better than the old-style wrap or clamp.

"PITTSBURGH PERFECT" FENCES ARE WELDED BY ELECTRICITY.

This is the modern method of construction. Years of life are added through the elimination of serious fence defects.

A WRAP holds moisture, cracks the galvanizing and allows the water to attack the base wire. A small amount of dampness galvanizing on "PITTSBURGH PERFECT" reinforces the protection against rust at the electrically welded joints, causing the joints to stay cannot slip. They are always just where they were put. Stay and strand wires become one piece when the weld is made. The fence is like a solid sheet of perforated steel.

Every Rod is Guaranteed Perfect.

Don't allow your prejudice in favor of the rapidly declining and now antiquated methods you have hitherto known, to warp your good judgment.

"PITTSBURGH PERFECT" FENCES REPRESENT PROGRESS, because hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of standard material is daily welded by electricity.

The hoop on the average sugar barrel, in the isolated country grocery store is an electrically welded product.

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You will find electrically welded hoops on ice cream freezers and washing machines, on many tubs and barrels. Examine them.

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That the fences are not injured at the joints.

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We are showing just such goods and at **LOWEST PRICES** in accordance with the Quality.

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Stock Law Election.

The returns of the stock law election as far as we are able to get are as follows:

Shiner, for 91; against 57.
Moulton, for 47; against 57.
Hallettsville, for 60; against 74.
Yoakum, for 13; against 3.
Sweet Home, for 30; against 20.
Williamsburg, for 13; against 10.
Witting, for 30; against 0.
Wied, for 15; against 0.
Oak Grove, for 17; against 3.
Novohard, for 13; against 1.
Totals, for 324; against 235.—Hallettsville Herald.

Only two towns gave a majority against the law, Hallettsville and Moulton. Shiner polled the largest vote. The law has undoubtedly carried, so get ready to put up your stock.

YOAKUM NEWS.

School Building Completed

Yoakum, Tex., Jan. 13.—Yoakum's fine new school building has at last been completed and the desks and fixtures are being put in preparatory to occupying it next Monday.

The Yoakum National Bank, for the better protection of its depositors, is having an up-to-date electric burglar alarm installed. It is claimed for the alarm that the large gong can be heard for a distance of two miles when set off.

Residence for Sale.

Three lots with seven well finished rooms, barn, outhouses and other improvements. Best and most convenient location in town.

L. E. CHOVAETZ,
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ALL WORK
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If I don't make your old Machine do as good work as when new, I want no pay.

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SHINER, TEXAS.
Only One Man a Week in Shiner.

School Report.

To the Hon. School Board:

Sirs:—I submit the following report of the White Public School of Shiner, for the month ending Jan. 7, 1910.

Total number enrolled to date.	141
No. of days attended this month.	2179
absences	175 1-2
Average daily attendance this mo.	120.5
No. cases of tardiness this mo.	95
truancy	0
corporal punishment	4

Those neither absent nor tardy this month are as follows:

9th grade—Minnie Deutch, Maude Dunn, Vlasta Marik, Stella Walters, Boyce Ponton.

8th grade—Leslie Merrem, Gussie Walters, Frieda Blohm.

7th grade—August Schmidt, Charlie Muecke, Herman Pagel.

6th grade—Elmo Merrem, Benno Holchak, John Valenta, Carrie Valenta, Carlyn Trautwein, Elsie Pannewitz, Leonide Schumann.

5th grade—Edwin Holchak, Thos. Hughes, Ollie Mikulinka, Walter Muecke, Louis Pagel, Helen Ruhmann, Emily Schmidt, Ella Schramm, Julius Seydler, Carl Wellhausen, Rosine Ledbetter, Mamie Merseberger, Viola Muecke, Lona Richter.

4th grade—Walter Ehlers, Frank Pagel, Robert Bednar.

3rd grade—Herbert Muecke, Willie Macha, Eddie Schmidt, August Gerlich.

2nd grade—Mabel Merrem, Vlasta Bednar, Emmet Schuman.

1st grade—Maurine Gray, Hattie Ruhmann. Respt.

T. J. PONTON
Supt.

J. C. HABERMACHER,
NOTARY PUBLIC.
Gazette Office, SHINER, TEX.

Complimentary Luncheon.

On Friday evening, at the Knights of Pythias Hall, the Pythian Sisters of Rathbone Temple No. 78, gave a farewell luncheon, complimentary to their departing members, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Stuermer and Mr. and Mrs. L. Gaantert. As the diversion of the evening the following program was rendered. Opening Remarks Mrs. S. A. Thulemeyer, Instrumental Solo, Miss Mary Martin; Recitation Mrs. J. R. Lane; Vocal Solo, Miss Burkett; Reading, Mrs. J. C. Habermacher; Vocal Duet, Mr. and Mrs. Dunn; Farewell address Mr. Sam Schwartz; Recitation, Mrs. J. R. Lane; Music, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Thulemeyer. This completing the program, luncheon was served. The guests of the evening were: Mesdames C. C. Ansler, J. R. Lane, McMur-ray, Misses Ursula Boyd and Tommie Thornton.

The feature of the evening was the recitations by Mrs. J. R. Lane, which was thoroughly enjoyed by all. CORRESPONDENT.

For County Attorney.

The Gazette takes pleasure in announcing this week the candidacy of Mr. Henry S. Paulus for the office of County Attorney, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

Henry is a son of Senator J. D. A. Paulus and is a graduate of the Texas University law school. He has filled the office of City attorney of Hallettsville for two years and has given good satisfaction. Mr. Paulus is a member of the Herman Sons and Odd Fellows lodges. The Gazette presents his name to the voters believing that if elected he will fill the office in an able and efficient manner.

Milking Cows.

There is a right and a wrong way to milk the cow. The wrong way is to let the calf suck. The cow is kept for her milk supply, not to give her best to the ambitious calf. The calf should be separated from the mother. Bring up the calf by hand; teach the cow to give her milk without being fed; do not use rough methods in handling her and be sure to get all the milk at a milking. The well stripped cow is the satisfied cow, and she will continue to give a full supply.—Farm and Ranch.

Teachers, Take Notice.

The white teachers will please close the school months on the following dates:

Jan. 28, Feb. 25, March 25; April 22, May 20.

The colored schools: Feb. 11; March 11; April 8; May 6.

Report and count as many days in your vouchers as actually taught.

You will receive the lists of questions for the uniform county school examination by the first of February.

Faithfully Yours,
F. P. GUENTHER,
County Supt.

Honor Roll.

The following subscribers have remitted since last report for which we extend thanks.

O. C. Dittmar,	Shiner
Dr. Gus Schulze,	"
J. F. Jurica,	"
R. G. Dreyer,	"
Paul Otto,	"
Mose Johnson,	"
Otto Wendel,	Nixon

C. E. MUNSON FOR SHERIFF.

Mr. Chas. E. Munson, announces in this issue of the Gazette as a candidate for sheriff of Lavaca county. Mr. Munson is at present acting as sheriff by appointment of the commissioner's court upon the resignation of Sheriff Noble. Mr. Munson has been chief deputy under Sheriff Noble for about seven years and has performed his duties well, no fault has ever been found with him, and he promises if elected to continue in the same course and follow in the footsteps of his predecessor, Sheriff Noble.

He announces subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held in July next, and solicits the support of all voters and promises them faithful service.

Senator Gore Makes Inquiry.

The editor of the Gazette has received from United States Senator T. P. Gore of Oklahoma a letter and other editors throughout the state have doubtless received similar ones, making inquiry as to the views of the people of this section on the leading measures which are liable to be considered by Congress during the present session.

Senator Gore writes: The editor is usually the ears and eyes of his community. He knows as well as, and better than, anyone else the needs of the people and the state and tendency of public sentiment. In connection with our own the Congress should be a mirror. The law should be as far as practical a reflex and an image of the popular will. That public official conserves the people best who best knows their needs and wishes.

He then asks: "Are people of your section favorable or unfavorable to: 1. The recent tariff law? 2. Further reduction at an early date? 3. Ship subsidy? 4. Conservation of natural resources? Do you and your people view with favor or disfavor: 1. Central bank? 2. Postal savings bank? 3. Federal rather than state character for interstate carriers? Has the cost of living advanced during the last year, and if so, to what cause is it attributed? Do you now pay more or less for print paper than six months ago?"

Woodmen Supper.

Half Moon Camp, No. 117, Woodmen of the World, gave their annual oyster and bird supper at the opera house on Wednesday night Jan. 12th. There was a goodly crowd of Woodmen present, about fifteen being from Valley View Camp of Dryer. Besides the oysters and birds, there was also a fine roasted possum for those who liked that kind of eating. Something like two thousand oysters were consumed and still there was some left. After everybody had eaten their fill, the party were entertained and amused by a comic song in german by Mr. Henry Messer and a recitation by Mr. J. C. Habermacher. There were also some side degrees given which caused much laughter.

Everybody present enjoyed the occasion very much and it will be one long to be remembered.